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Subject: September 19 Conference Call

Parties:

The following is EPA's suggested agenda for our call this week. If EPA were to take action under Section 1431 of the Safe Drinking Water Act, either through a consent order, unilateral order, or civil judicial action, it could seek relief largely based on the concerns identified in these agenda items. In the call, EPA therefore wants to ascertain if, and if so, how, these issues will be addressed by the Memorandum of Understanding currently under discussion.

The items which EPA would like to discuss include:

- 1) The current status of AGC activities and discussions with the Counties;
- 2) Investigation and sampling to identify the universe of impacted wells that are located in the Corridor;
- 3) Mitigation of the public health risk (provision of bottled water, installation and maintenance of treatment systems, drilling new wells, etc.) until the nitrate level in the groundwater is below the MCL;
- 4) Monitoring of installed treatment systems to ensure they remain effective in the future;
- 5) Periodic future monitoring of wells in the Corridor to determine whether additional wells become contaminated above the nitrate MCL.
- 6) Long-term efforts to reduce groundwater nitrate contamination in the Corridor

As a reminder, the call is set for 1:00-3:00 C.S.T. this Wednesday. The contact information for the conference call is:

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Feel free to contact me if you wish to discuss these matters prior to the call.

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